

OraQuick ADVANCE® Competency Questions 2007

Instructions: Please complete all 20 questions and mark your answers on the scannable answer sheet provided by the AIDS Administration using either a #2 pencil or black ink pen. This test is open book!

1. The OraQuick ADVANCE® controls should be run in each of the following situations **except**:
 - A. By each new operator during the OraQuick ADVANCE® training.
 - B. Whenever a new lot of OraQuick ADVANCE® kits are used for the first time.
 - C. If there is a change in conditions of the testing area.
 - D. By each operator at the start of a shift.
2. TRUE or FALSE - The intensity of the color of the line next to the “T” zone that appears during a test signifies the amount of HIV antibodies in the specimen.
 - A. True
 - B. False
3. The reddish-purple line that appears next to the “C” zone is an internal control which indicates that:
 - A. The temperature is within range for testing.
 - B. The lighting is appropriate to view the test panel.
 - C. A specimen was added to the vial and the fluid has moved through the device properly.
 - D. All of the above.
4. Covering the two holes on the back of the test device may interfere with the results causing:
 - A. An indeterminate result.
 - B. A preliminary positive result.
 - C. An invalid result.
 - D. None of the above.
5. Which of the following is an example of an invalid test result using an OraQuick ADVANCE® test kit?
 - A. No line is present in the area next to either the “C” or “T” triangle.
 - B. A line appears opposite the “T” triangle but not the “C” triangle.
 - C. The pinkish red background in the result window does not disappear and makes it difficult to read the result after 20 minutes.
 - D. All of the above.
6. After conducting a control run, a counselor should document the outcomes on:
 - A. The Daily Patient Log and the Refrigerator Log.
 - B. The Temperature Log and the Quality Control Log Sheet.
 - C. The Quality Control Log Sheet and the Daily Patient Log.
 - D. None of the above.
7. OraQuick ADVANCE® can be used to test _____ samples.
 - A. Whole blood
 - B. Urine
 - C. Oral fluid
 - D. A and C

8. TRUE or FALSE - Controls must be stored between 35.6° F and 46.4° F.
- A. True
 - B. False
9. When completing the data collection booklet for OraQuick ADVANCE®, you must complete some information on:
- A. Parts A, B, C, D.
 - B. Parts A, B, C.
 - C. Parts A, B, C, D, E.
 - D. Parts A, B, C, E.
10. All temperatures in the refrigerator, the testing room and the storage location, should be taken and documented:
- A. Weekly.
 - B. Every other hour.
 - C. Bi-weekly.
 - D. Daily.
11. TRUE or FALSE - CTR sites that obtain OraQuick ADVANCE® testing kits from the Maryland AIDS Administration are held accountable for every kit they receive.
- A. True
 - B. False
12. OraQuick ADVANCE® cannot be used to test persons under the age of:
- A. 12.
 - B. 13.
 - C. 14.
 - D. 16.
13. What type of testing is approved for confirming a preliminary positive result from an OraQuick ADVANCE® HIV test in Maryland?
- A. Another OraQuick ADVANCE® HIV test
 - B. A conventional blood draw
 - C. A urine test
 - D. Both A & B
14. When obtaining an oral specimen for an OraQuick ADVANCE® rapid test, instruct the client to:
- A. Swab the upper and lower gums one time completely around.
 - B. Swab the roof of the mouth, cheek and tongue.
 - C. Swab the upper and lower gums multiple times to collect as much oral fluid as possible.
 - D. Gently rub the inside of their cheek with the flat pad of the device.
15. OraQuick ADVANCE® results *must* be read no less than ____ minutes and no more than ____ minutes after introducing the specimen into the developer solution.
- A. 10; 20
 - B. 20; 60
 - C. 10; 40
 - D. 20; 40

16. TRUE or FALSE - OraQuick ADVANCE[®] is considered a screening tool in the diagnosis of HIV infection. This means a preliminary positive result will need to be followed by a confirmatory test.
- A. True
 - B. False
17. After a site has become an approved OraQuick ADVANCE[®] testing site, each counselor must:
- A. Take a Level 1 refresher course.
 - B. Attend a one day OraQuick ADVANCE[®] training class given by the AIDS Administration.
 - C. Submit an OraQuick ADVANCE[®] counselor number request form.
 - D. Receive training from another certified counselor at the site.
18. Which of the following is NOT a possible test result when using OraQuick ADVANCE[®]?
- A. Invalid
 - B. AIDS diagnosis
 - C. Preliminary Positive
 - D. Negative
19. What information should be written on each box of OraQuick ADVANCE[®] controls when it is opened?
- A. Date received and open vial expiration
 - B. Date opened and open vial expiration
 - C. Lot number and date received
 - D. None of the above
20. If a client's HIV testing results are discordant, what is the recommended course of action for the client?
- A. The client should be counseled to get a follow-up OraQuick test in four weeks.
 - B. The client should be counseled to get a follow-up OraQuick test in six weeks.
 - C. The client should be counseled to get a follow-up HIV blood draw in six weeks.
 - D. The client should be counseled to get a follow-up HIV blood draw in four weeks.